

Pacific County
Youth & Tobacco Data Summary
6TH GRADE
Year 2000

		County %	State %
6th Grade Students Surveyed	n= 172	100.0 %	100.0 %
Gender			
Female		54.8 %	50.0 %
Male		45.2 %	50.0 %
Race/Ethnicity			
Students of Color		28.3 %	30.9 %
White		71.7 %	69.1 %
		County %+/- Margin of Error	State %+/- Margin of Error
Youth who have smoked a whole cigarette at least once in their lifetime			
Female	n= 90	7.8 %+/- 5.5	7.1 %+/- 1.4
Male	n= 72	22.2 %+/- 9.6	7.4 %+/- 1.5
Total	n= 162	15.1 %+/- 5.4	7.2 %+/- 1.0
Past 30 days, youth who have smoked cigarettes at least once			
Female	n= 91	2.2 %+/- 3.0	3.9 %+/- 1.0
Male	n= 75	10.7 %+/- 7.0	4.1 %+/- 1.1
Total	n= 166	7.1 %+/- 3.9	4.0 %+/- 0.7
Youth who have used smokeless tobacco (chewing tobacco, snuff or dip) at least once in their lifetime			
Female	n= 90	2.2 %+/- 3.0	2.0 %+/- 0.7
Male	n= 73	11.0 %+/- 7.2	1.6 %+/- 0.7
Total	n= 163	6.6 %+/- 3.8	1.8 %+/- 0.5
Past 30 days, youth who have used smokeless tobacco (chewing tobacco, snuff or dip) at least once			
Female	n= 91	1.1 %+/- 2.1	0.4 %+/- 0.2
Male	n= 74	6.8 %+/- 5.7	1.2 %+/- 0.6
Total	n= 165	3.6 %+/- 2.8	0.8 %+/- 0.3
Past 30 days, youth who have smoked cigarettes OR used smokeless tobacco at least once			
Female	n= 91	3.3 %+/- 3.7	4.0 %+/- 1.0
Male	n= 74	13.5 %+/- 7.8	4.8 %+/- 1.2
Total	n= 165	8.9 %+/- 4.3	4.4 %+/- 0.8

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Do you think you will smoke a cigarette at any time during the next year?	n= 170	
Definitely no	80.6 %+/- 5.9	83.3 %+/- 1.4
If one of your best friends offered you a cigarette, would you smoke it?	n= 171	
Definitely no	83.0 %+/- 5.6	85.5 %+/- 1.3
Susceptibility Index (combination of the previous two questions, either of which receives any answer other than 'Definitely no')	n= 170	
Susceptible	24.1 %+/- 6.4	20.1 %+/- 1.5
If one of your best friends offered you a cigarette, would you smoke it? (from among youth who did not smoke in last 30 days)	n= 158	
Definitely no	87.3 %+/- 5.2	88.1 %+/- 1.2
Do you think the smoke from other people's cigarettes (second-hand smoke) is harmful to you?	n= 171	
Definitely yes or Probably yes	90.1 %+/- 4.5	86.5 %+/- 1.3
Would you ever use or wear something that has a tobacco company name or picture on it such as a lighter, t-shirt, hat, or sunglasses?	n= 172	
Definitely no	54.7 %+/- 7.4	62.6 %+/- 1.9
During past 7 days, on how many days were you in the same room with someone who was smoking cigarettes?	n= 149	
3 or more days	32.9 %+/- 7.5	24.4 %+/- 3.0
During this school year, did you practice ways to say 'NO' to tobacco in any of your classes (for example, by role playing)?	n= 171	
Yes	48.5 %+/- 7.5	69.7 %+/- 1.8
How wrong would most adults in your neighborhood think it was for kids your age to smoke cigarettes?	n= 167	
Very wrong	73.7 %+/- 6.7	74.6 %+/- 1.7
If you wanted to get some tobacco, how easy would it be for you to get some?	n= 165	
Very hard or Sort of hard	77.0 %+/- 6.4	77.8 %+/- 1.6
Has either of your parents (or guardians) discussed the dangers of tobacco use with you?	n= 169	
Yes	81.7 %+/- 5.8	77.8 %+/- 1.6